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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants	Pieter Adriaan Oosterling, <i>et al.</i>
Serial No. 09/868,122	Filing Date: September 24, 2001
Title of Application:	Device and Method for Milking Animals
Confirmation No. 5702	Group Art Unit: 3643
Examiner	Son T. Nguyen

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Commissioner for Patents
Post Office Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

***Response Transmittal and
Petition For Time Extension (37 CFR 1.136[A])***

Dear Sir:

1. This is a petition for an extension of the time for a total period of one month to respond to the Office Letter mailed on January 16, 2003.
2. A response in connection with the matter for which this extension is requested is filed herewith.
3. Applicant is a small entity. A verified statement has been filed.
4. Calculation of extension fee (37 CFR 1.17). \$55.00 Extension Fee is due with this request.
5. Fee Payment. Attached is a check in the sum of \$55.00. This is also a petition and a request to charge to Account No. 19-4516 for any additional extension and/or fee as may be required or credit for any excess fee paid.

Respectfully submitted,

May 16, 2003

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